

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-38 (Cancelled).

- 1 39. (Original) A modular flooring unit of a discrete size and weight that can be lifted by
2 a human, the flooring unit comprising:
3 (a) a planar matrix;
4 (b) reinforcing fibers embedded in the matrix for reinforcing the matrix;
5 (c) particulate mounted to a major surface of the matrix.

- 1 40. (Original) The flooring unit in accordance with claim 39, wherein the particulate
2 mounted to the matrix forms the traffic-bearing surface of the flooring unit.

Claims 41-42 (Cancelled).